

DOCJT Instructor Earns Doctorate Degree

HELD 4.0 GPA

Department of Criminal Justice Instructor Bryan Cole earned his Doctor of Education Degree from Lincoln Memorial University in May. Cole accomplished this degree program while working full time and being a full-time husband and father. In April, he successfully defended his dissertation on the topic, Police Recruitment. He passed all course work with a 4.0 GPA. Cole joins 10 other instructors and staff at DOCJT who have earned a doctorate degree.



Association Established to Promote Professional Law Enforcement

The Kentucky Association for Professional Law Enforcement recently organized to serve the needs of law enforcement around the state. This organization focuses on professionalizing law enforcement through advances in training, certification and professional standards.

Additionally, the group hopes to raise awareness of the value of professional law enforcement service to communities, advocate for Kentucky's law enforcement at all levels of government and provide career development research concerning salaries, benefits, retirement plans and more.

KAPLE lobbied for legislation this year to include the seven state agencies, Kentucky Horsepark Mounted Police and officers assigned to schools who are special law enforcement status in the Kentucky Law Enforcement Foundation Program Fund. Unfortunately, despite being included in Gov. Steve Beshear's recommended budget, the measure failed to pass. But Vice President Lee Ann Morrison said KAPLE will not give up yet on the more than 150 officers who are certified and held to the same standards as those who do receive the KLEFPF stipend.

The organization is open to anyone involved with professional law enforcement, including chiefs and sheriffs, officers, educators and students.

For details, please visit www.kaple.net.



KLEMF Scholarship Recipients Named

A total of \$29,000 in scholarships was awarded to 26 students across the commonwealth by the Kentucky Law Enforcement Memorial Foundation. The Gerald F. Healy Kentucky Law Enforcement Memorial Foundation scholarships were awarded to Kentucky law enforcement officers and officers' dependents and survivors. Recipients were awarded \$1,000 toward the fall 2012 semester. Officers' survivors received \$2,000.

The scholarships help support students at 15 Kentucky colleges and universities, and two out-of-state institutions.

FALL 2012 SEMESTER GERALD F. HEALY SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS ARE:

Sabrina Clapp of Mayfield, Murray State University

Jarad Cline of Morehead, Morehead State University

Jacob Conner of Clay City, Kentucky Christian University

Zachery Eagler of Florence, Union College

James K. East of Hazard, Morehead State University

Johnna Callie Edrington of Richmond, Eastern Kentucky University

Kara Gilvin of DeMossville, Georgetown College

Christopher Hamilton of Louisville, University of Louisville

Andrew Jones of Williamstown, Eastern Kentucky University

Christopher Laytham of Mount Washington, University of Kentucky

Susan Lewis of Richmond, University of Louisville

Ofc. Marlin Lewis of Lucas (Ky. Department of Parks), Western Kentucky University

Vincent Morris of Stanford, Centre College

Brandi Mundo of Louisville, California College

Ann Osborne of Owensboro, Eastern Kentucky University

Stephen Root of Nicholasville, KCTCS

Janie and Joanie Smith of Crab Orchard, Somerset Community College

Summer Spillman of Richmond, Western Kentucky University

Emily Sticklen of Dover, Northern Kentucky University

Mary Sticklen of Dover, University of Kentucky

Evan Spicer of Falmouth, Morehead State University

Zachary Turner of Auburn, Centre College

Taryn Ward of Florence, University of Wisconsin-Parkside

Oakley Watkins of Danville, Centre College

Jordan Wheeler of Inez, Big Sandy Community College



DOCJT Competition Shoot Scheduled for September

The annual Department of Criminal Justice Training Competition Shoot will be Sept. 22 at the Boonesboro Range in Boonesboro Ky. Registration will start at 9 a.m. For more information, please contact Ben Wilcox at (859) 585-3122 or ben.wilcox@ky.gov.